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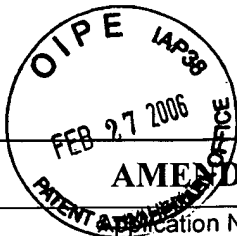
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		Application Number	10/810,706-Conf. #9050
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		First Named Inventor	Akihiko SHIMASAKI
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		Art Unit	1762
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Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	
							Small Entity
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2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES							Fee (\$)
Fee Description							Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)							50
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)							200
Multiple dependent claims							360
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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL LETTER			Docket No. KPC-0309
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Applicant(s): Akihiko SHIMASAKI et al.

Invention: METAL COATING METHOD EXCELLENT IN CORROSION RESISTANCE AND ARTICLE COATED THEREWITH

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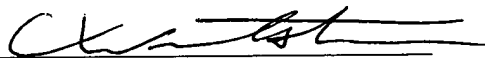
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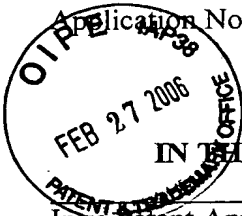
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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Non-final Office Action dated September 30, 2005, please
amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows: